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*To the Honorable Governor, R. M. Jefferies and the Members of
the General Assembly of South Carolina:*

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit to you statement of the South Carolina Game and Fish Department for the fiscal year July 1, 1941-June 30, 1942.

Due to War Conditions I feel that it is necessary to make this statement as brief as possible and to cut down the printing expenses as much as possible, so instead of making printed recommendations to the General Assembly as usual, I will do this in person when I appear before the different committees.

Respectfully yours,

A. A. RICHARDSON,
Chief Game Warden.

RECEIPTS BY COUNTIES JULY 1ST, 1941 — JUNE 30TH, 1942

County	HUNTING LICENSES				FISHING LICENSES				FISHING LICENSES			Fur Seals	Fur Buyers License	Fines	Sales of Confiscated Game and Equipment	Totals		
	\$1.00 Each	\$3.00 Each	Annual Non-Resident \$15.00 Each	Two-Day Non-Resident \$3.00 Each	Total Hunting Licenses	Resident \$1.00 Each 1941	Annual Non-Resident \$5.00 Each 1941	Two-Day Non-Resident 1941-42	Total Fishing Licenses 1941	FISHING LICENSES								
										Resident Fishing Licenses 1942	Annual Non-Resident Fishing Licenses 1942						Total Fishing Licenses 1942	
Abbeville	\$751.00	\$480.00	.....	.....	\$1,231.00	\$32.00	.....	\$2.00	\$34.00	\$70.00	.....	\$70.00	\$17.35	.....	.....	\$51.00	.....	\$1,403.35
Aiken	1,209.00	1,248.00	.....	\$69.00	3,486.00	57.00	\$55.00	98.00	210.00	154.00	\$315.00	469.00	17.90	.....	.....	105.00	.....	4,287.90
Allendale	410.00	471.00	.....	183.00	1,454.00	26.00	15.00	12.00	52.00	63.00	40.00	103.00	34.86	.....	.....	34.86	.....	1,692.36
Anderson	2,301.00	1,755.00	.....	3.00	4,059.00	64.00	.....	.....	64.00	323.00	.....	323.00	30.85	\$25.00	.....	32.00	.....	4,533.85
Bamberg	518.00	861.00	.....	222.00	1,841.00	59.00	.....	2.00	61.00	125.00	.....	125.00	365.00	50.00	.....	95.00	.....	2,537.00
Barrel	290.00	315.00	.....	48.00	1,133.00	37.00	15.00	218.00	270.00	14.00	840.00	854.00	26.25	.....	.....	130.00	.....	2,413.25
Beaufort	1,006.00	993.00	.....	525.00	6,019.00	15.00	10.00	15.00	40.00	46.00	45.00	91.00	233.20	25.00	.....	360.00	.....	6,768.20
Berkeley	1,600.00	1,275.00	.....	39.00	3,724.00	23.00	5.00	6.00	34.00	68.00	.....	68.00	18.70	.....	.....	155.00	\$2.00	4,001.70
Calhoun	651.00	540.00	.....	6.00	1,207.00	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	61.00	.....	61.00	27.00	25.00	.....	80.00	.....	1,455.00
Charleston	3,194.00	8,754.00	1,650.00	135.00	13,793.00	137.00	.....	2.00	139.00	525.00	.....	525.00	270.00	50.00	.....	543.53	1.50	15,227.03
Cherokee	1,285.00	483.00	.....	.....	1,798.00	33.00	.....	3.00	16.00	80.00	5.00	85.00	17.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,866.90
Chester	871.00	828.00	.....	57.00	1,891.00	160.00	10.00	11.00	181.00	83.00	10.00	93.00	89.85	25.00	.....	.....	.....	2,273.85
Chesterfield	837.00	822.00	.....	39.00	2,088.00	245.00	35.00	51.00	331.00	123.00	45.00	168.00	15.85	.....	.....	202.00	.....	2,804.85
Clarendon	1,446.00	870.00	.....	411.00	4,122.00	17.00	.....	.....	201.00	236.00	5.00	241.00	444.80	125.00	.....	160.00	.....	4,688.55
Colleton	1,307.00	1,068.00	.....	327.00	4,322.00	135.00	25.00	41.00	74.00	189.00	5.00	194.00	131.15	50.00	.....	260.00	29.70	4,601.50
Darlington	1,517.00	1,461.00	.....	63.00	3,083.00	60.00	10.00	22.00	66.00	66.00	35.00	101.00	440.95	100.00	.....	80.00	.....	3,738.15
Dillon	538.00	507.00	.....	30.00	1,138.00	24.00	20.00	11.00	52.00	189.00	.....	189.00	8.15	25.00	.....	128.00	.....	1,325.95
Dorchester	842.00	1,611.00	.....	.....	2,463.00	41.00	.....	.....	6.00	21.00	10.00	31.00	17.00	.....	.....	8.00	.....	3,006.15
Edgefield	875.00	549.00	.....	9.00	1,433.00	6.00	.....	.....	11.00	4.00	.....	4.00	5.75	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,540.70
Fairfield	900.00	402.00	.....	.....	1,317.00	8.00	.....	3.00	17.00	275.00	4.00	279.00	470.00	100.00	.....	242.00	.....	1,837.75
Florence	1,645.00	285.00	.....	117.00	5,320.00	252.00	5.00	17.00	274.00	73.00	.....	275.00	314.45	100.00	.....	1,770.00	.....	6,681.00
Georgetown	1,431.00	930.00	.....	270.00	4,431.00	56.00	5.00	12.00	73.00	94.00	.....	94.00	18.65	.....	.....	164.85	1.45	6,783.90
Greenville	4,243.00	6,084.00	.....	27.00	10,354.00	930.00	.....	13.00	949.00	160.00	.....	160.00	15.00	.....	.....	280.00	.....	11,646.50
Greenwood	1,156.00	1,500.00	.....	3.00	3,592.00	367.00	30.00	22.00	419.00	109.00	.....	109.00	297.60	50.00	.....	265.00	.....	4,415.00
Hampton	840.00	1,611.00	.....	1,152.00	5,073.00	80.00	20.00	114.00	214.00	204.00	100.00	304.00	273.00	.....	.....	898.00	32.82	6,236.42
Harley	2,616.00	1,482.00	.....	417.00	4,980.00	99.00	40.00	7.00	283.00	190.00	85.00	275.00	324.15	100.00	.....	100.00	2.00	6,836.15
Jasper	521.00	606.00	.....	222.00	3,329.00	21.00	.....	.....	28.00	66.00	5.00	71.00	5.25	.....	.....	20.00	.....	3,555.25
Kershaw	453.00	708.00	.....	51.00	1,572.00	80.00	10.00	12.00	92.00	95.00	20.00	115.00	11.80	.....	.....	10.00	.....	1,810.80
Lancaster	581.00	600.00	.....	15.00	1,201.00	48.00	.....	22.00	80.00	10.00	30.00	40.00	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,456.00

Laurens	2,684.00	1,365.00	3.00	4,052.00	162.00	.....	11.00	173.00	413.00	413.00	79.40	50.00	210.00	.....	4,977.40
Lee	322.00	411.00	20.00	928.00	16.00	.....	55.00	16.00	57.00	57.00	179.00	25.00	80.00	.....	1,285.00
Lexington	1,169.00	2,502.00	3.00	3,689.00	387.00	5.00	.....	417.00	635.00	40.00	675.00	25.00	275.00	.....	5,065.10
McCormick	409.00	204.00	.....	628.00	4.00	.....	.....	4.00	10.00	.....	15.20	.....	34.00	.....	691.20
Marion	888.00	888.00	.....	1,895.00	29.00	.....	53.00	82.00	125.00	35.00	178.30	50.00	275.00	.....	2,641.30
Marlboro	1,270.00	540.00	108.00	2,053.00	88.00	10.00	30.00	128.00	70.00	35.00	69.50	25.00	115.00	.....	2,495.50
Mawberry	946.00	1,599.00	9.00	2,554.00	77.00	.....	23.00	100.00	293.00	.....	87.90	.....	131.52	.....	3,087.72
Onancock	1,320.00	252.00	.....	1,582.00	38.00	.....	1.00	39.00	110.00	.....	110.00	.....	43.00	.....	1,861.90
Orangeburg	2,523.00	2,624.00	45.00	5,192.00	162.00	5.00	3.00	170.00	388.00	5.00	333.00	150.00	260.00	.....	6,854.60
Pickens	2,292.00	981.00	.....	3,273.00	48.00	.....	.....	48.00	97.00	.....	49.65	25.00	40.00	.....	2,470.65
Richland	2,292.00	7,611.00	84.00	10,215.00	530.00	5.00	33.00	558.00	1,299.00	25.00	1,964.00	75.00	265.00	1.00	12,629.65
Saluda	414.00	7,411.00	.....	8,225.00	10.00	.....	.....	10.00	53.00	.....	22.50	.....	910.50	.....	9,157.90
Spartanburg	4,526.00	4,017.00	30.00	8,579.00	139.00	5.00	2.00	146.00	290.00	.....	920.00	75.00	80.00	.....	5,945.05
Sumter	2,193.00	1,983.00	201.00	4,377.00	86.00	.....	3.00	94.00	225.00	.....	305.05	25.00	489.00	.....	1,765.45
Union	1,035.00	1,629.00	.....	2,671.00	22.00	.....	1.00	37.00	71.00	.....	9.45	.....	40.00	.....	6,227.40
Williamsburg	1,513.00	1,794.00	1,875.00	5,413.00	288.00	5.00	4.00	297.00	75.00	.....	150.00	57.00	250.00	.....	6,227.40
York	1,463.00	1,583.00	78.00	3,134.00	60.00	20.00	18.00	38.00	268.00	135.00	56.75	25.00	90.00	.....	3,736.75
Total	\$61,971.00	\$72,279.00	\$5,445.00	\$161,430.00	\$5,293.00	\$370.00	\$1,063.00	\$6,666.00	\$7,490.00	\$1,860.00	\$9,850.00	\$1,450.00	\$9,865.76	\$90.47	\$19,534.08

Miscellaneous Receipts \$29,110.07
Total Receipts 1941-42 \$224,452.15

Number of Licenses Sold:

County	61,971
State	24,093
Annual Non-Resident Hunting	1,449
Two-Day Non-Resident Hunting	1,815
	89,328

Resident Fishing 1941	5,233
Resident Fishing 1942	7,990
Annual Non-Resident Fishing 1941	74
Annual Non-Resident Fishing 1942	372
Two-Day Non-Resident Fishing	1,063
Total Licenses Sold	104,060

Federal Government Projects Reimbursements:

Belmont Game Refuge:	
Purchase Reimbursement	\$6,975.00
Operation Reimbursement	12,665.07
	19,640.07
Poinsett State Forest	2,039.62
Sumter National Forest	163.12
Appropriation Refund 1940-41	51.44
Total	\$29,110.07

GENERAL FUND
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

Balance July 1, 1941.....\$9,294.18

Receipts:

License Division:

County	\$ 61,971.00
State	72,279.00
Non-Resident	21,735.00
To Day Non-Resident Hunting	5,445.00
Resident Fishing—1941	5,233.00
Resident Fishing—1942	7,990.00
Non-Resident Fishing—1941	370.00
Non-Resident Fishing—1942	1,860.00
Two Day Non-Resident Fishing....	1,063.00
Fines	9,805.76
Breeders License	62.50
Fishing and Hunting Permits	5,649.75
Scientific Permits	9.00
Sale of Quail	200.00

\$193,673.01

Fur Seal Division:

Fur Seals	\$6,049.85
Resident Fur Buyers License	1,450.00
Non-Resident Fur Buyers License	50.00

\$7,549.85

Other Receipts:

1939-40 Licenses:

County	\$4.00	
State	63.00	\$67.00
Game Warden Badges		10.00
Miscellaneous Refunds and Sales..	1,208.04	

\$1,285.04

Federal Government Projects Reimbursements:

Belmont Game Refuge:

Purchase Reimbursement	\$6,975.00	
Operation Reimbursement	12,665.07	\$19,640.07

Poinsett State Forest	\$2,089.62
Sumter National Forest	163.12

\$21,892.81

Total Receipts	\$224,400.71
Appropriation Refund—1940-41	51.44

\$224,452.15

Total Receipts and Balance

\$233,746.33

Disbursements:

Remitted State Treasurer	\$224,422.15	
Balance—Closed Banks Charged		
Off—States Statement Page	9,215.08	
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Total Disbursements		\$233,637.23
Balance June 30, 1942		109.10
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		\$233,746.33

GAME PROTECTION FUND

July 1, 1941 to June 30, 1942

Balance—July 1, 1941	\$63,908.11
Remitted State Treasurer	224,422.15

\$288,330.26

Disbursements:

Salaries—Game Warden	\$108,120.95
Travel Game Wardens	22,846.93

Fish Hatcheries:

Styx	1,865.04
Cleveland	1,049.20
Berry's	371.54
Other	1,030.41
Belmont Project	30,663.62
Poinsett Project	1,736.87
Sand Hill Lakes	179.57
Buzzard Roost	40.13
Sumter Forest	217.50
Santee-Cooper	7,000.37
Lake Murray	129.80
Four County Projects	1,990.32
Game Purchased	6,077.04
Fish Propagation	1,842.25
Equipment and Expense of Operation..	4,652.86
Licenses and Buttons	6,679.08
Appropriation Refund	16,320.00
Attorney Fees	125.00
Advertising	97.01
Refunds	370.24
Miscellaneous Expense	741.10
Total Disbursements	<u>\$214,146.83</u>
Balance—June 30, 1942	<u>74,183.43</u>

\$288,330.26

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT—FISCAL YEAR 1941-42
June 30, 1942

Superintendence and Records

Personal Service:	Appropriation	Expenditures	Balance
Salaries:			
Chief Game Warden	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	.....
Chief Clerk	2,700.00	2,700.00	.....
Stenographer—File Clerk	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....
Contractual Services:			
Freight Express and Deliveries	20.00	19.90	\$.10
Travel	2,600.00	2,600.00	.....
Repairs	580.00	326.41	3.59
Transfer		250.00	.....
Telegraph and Telephone.....	200.00	428.49	21.51
Transfer	250.00	.....	.....
Supplies:			
Office	800.00	799.96	.04
Fixed Charges and Contributions:			
Insurance and Bonds	600.00	664.15	.85
Transfer		65.00	.....
Transfer	75.00	.....	.....
Transfer	55.00	.....	.....
Equipment:			
Office	120.00	179.99	5.01
Transfer	65.00	.....	.....

Enforcing License Tax on Fur Dealers

Personal Service:			
Salary—Chief Clerk	\$2,700.00	\$2,700.00	.....
Contractual Services:			
Freight Express and Deliveries	20.00	19.79	\$.21
Supplies:			
Office	480.00	479.36	.64
Protection National Forest Reserves	1,800.00	1,800.00	.....
Total Appropriation	\$18,120.00	\$18,218.05	\$31.95
Transfers	445.00	315.00	.....
Total	\$18,565.00	\$18,533.05	\$31.95

Account in Agreement with Comptroller General.

GROWTH OF GAME DEPARTMENT SINCE 1913

Year	Total Business
1912	\$1,956.00
1913	4,430.13
1914	7,558.20
1915	19,829.61
1916	30,595.80
1917-18 (Fiscal Year Changed July 1-June 30)	34,782.92
1918-19	42,140.15
1919-20	110,550.10
1920-21	113,225.19
1921-22	113,624.15
1922-23	106,345.80
1923-24	149,208.35
1924-25	145,031.05
1925-26	149,497.53
1926-27	140,112.84
1927-28	202,120.07
1928-29	170,403.75
1929-30	196,766.46
1930-31	177,008.40
1931-32	137,498.80
1932-33	112,165.72
1933-34	145,093.75
1934-35	139,079.34
1935-36	150,882.40
1936-37	166,941.55
1937-38	196,428.43
1938-39	197,405.92
1939-40	214,289.81
1940-41	234,554.13
1941-42	224,452.15
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	\$3,833,976.50

These figures will be verified by the State Treasurer's Books.

Not one penny of the above collections was paid by any taxpayer, and no appropriation of any nature has been made from the taxpayer's money for the upkeep, maintenance and operation of the State Game Department—from Chief Game Warden's salary down to the smallest item on our books. I, therefore, feel that the Legislature can afford to be most liberal with this Department, as it is absolutely self-sustaining.

Very respectfully,

A. A. RICHARDSON,
Chief Game Warden.

LIST OF GAME WARDENS

County	Name of Warden	Postoffice Address
Abbeville	W. R. Nance.....	Lowndesville
Aiken	N. J. DeLoach.....	Aiken
Aiken	M. T. Holly.....	Aiken
Allendale	W. L. Maner.....	Allendale
Anderson	A. C. Campbell.....	Belton
Bamberg	J. Clyde Kearse.....	Olar
Barnwell	Angus Patterson.....	Barnwell
Beaufort	Hal G. Heyward.....	Hardeeville
Beaufort	Ernest McDowell, Jr.....	Lobeco
Berkeley	C. H. Willson.....	Moncks Corner
Berkeley	F. F. Murphy.....	Wando
Berkeley	M. C. Parler.....	Cameron
Calhoun	John G. Inabinet.....	St. Matthews
Calhoun	K. C. Dufford.....	Lone Star
Charleston	E. L. Blohme.....	Charleston
Charleston	W. H. Weinheimer.....	Charleston
Charleston	T. W. Bivens.....	Ravenel
Charleston	L. M. Freeman.....	Mt. Pleasant
Charleston	L. E. Lofton.....	McClellanville
Cherokee	T. E. Stroup.....	Gaffney
Chester	S. A. Killian.....	Chester
Chesterfield	J. Tom Burch.....	Cheraw
Chesterfield	Chas. B. Laney.....	Cheraw
Clarendon	W. S. Plowden.....	Manning
Clarendon	J. E. Bryant.....	Manning
Colleton	S. M. Crosby.....	Walterboro
Colleton	W. B. Nettles.....	Walterboro
Colleton	E. F. Price.....	Walterboro
Darlington	S. O. Middleton.....	Hartsville
Darlington	V. Q. Gandy.....	Darlington
Dillon	A. T. Moody.....	Dillon
Dorchester	J. B. Meyer.....	Summerville
Edgefield	A. R. Broadwater.....	Edgefield
Fairfield	G. F. Bass.....	Winnaboro
Florence	A. J. McCain.....	Florence
Florence	J. Mack Humphrey.....	Timmons ville
Georgetown	W. H. McDonald.....	Georgetown
Georgetown	A. E. Barnhill.....	Hemingway
Greenville	J. Clyde Ross.....	Greenville
Greenville	W. T. Palmer.....	Greenville
Greenville	P. D. Tankersley.....	Marietta
Greenwood	Henry S. Carter.....	Ninety-Six
Hampton	R. E. Williams.....	Estill
Hampton	Murray DeLoach.....	Hampton
Horry	Garland F. Outlaw.....	Myrtle Beach
Horry	H. E. Grainger.....	Conway
Horry	A. T. Graham.....	Conway
Jasper	F. R. Malphrus.....	Ridgeland
Jasper	J. W. Tuten.....	Ridgeland
Kershaw	Mrs. Etta O. Hough.....	Camden
Lancaster	Coyt Baker.....	Lancaster
Laurens	M. A. Cannon.....	Kinard
Laurens	S. A. Lee.....	Laurens
Lee	L. Grady Smith.....	Bishopville
Lexington	L. C. Bundrick.....	West Columbia
McCormick	D. M. McGrath.....	McCormick

County	Name of Warden	Postoffice Address
Marion	W. C. Watson.....	Marion
Marlboro	J. Clyde Quick.....	Bennettsville
Newberry	G. Herman Wise.....	Newberry
Newberry	Ryan Hill.....	Newberry
Oconee	W. T. Stevenson.....	Seneca
Orangeburg	Jack G. Vallentine.....	Cope
Orangeburg	T. H. Brennecke.....	Norway
Orangeburg	William McCollum.....	Springfield
Pickens	J. W. McJunkin.....	Easley
Richland	J. S. Hammond.....	Columbia
Richland	R. D. Nance.....	Columbia
Richland	R. O. Thackam.....	Columbia
Richland	W. B. Calhoun.....	Columbia
Saluda	John S. Cromley.....	Saluda
Spartanburg	A. A. Estes.....	Enoree
Spartanburg	Howard N. Vise.....	Pauline
Sumter	E. W. Nettles, Jr.....	Sumter
Sumter	P. A. Broughton.....	Sumter
Sumter	M. R. Phillips.....	Lynchburg
Union	J. L. Lawson.....	Union
Williamsburg	W. J. Burgess.....	Kingstree
Williamsburg	H. W. Easler.....	Greeleyville
York	David N. Campbell.....	Rock Hill

REPORT OF FISH HATCHERIES OPERATED BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT

BERRY'S MILL FISH HATCHERY

Greer, South Carolina

J. E. Bost, in Charge

Fish Planted:

Bream Fingerlings	212,000
Bream Adults	2,800
Catfish Fingerlings	28,000
Catfish Adults	1,800
Bass Fingerlings	8,000
Bass Adults	860
Crappie Fingerlings	210,000
Crappie Adults	900
Warmouth Fingerlings	2,000

Total Fish Planted466,360

CLEVELAND FISH HATCHERY

Marietta, South Carolina

P. D. Tankersley, in Charge

Fish Planted:

Rainbow Trout, 5 to 6 inches	75,000
Rainbow Trout, 7 to 9 inches	15,000

Total Fish Planted 90,000

ANDERSON FISH HATCHERY

Anderson, South Carolina

J. T. Mann, in Charge

Fish Planted:

Bream Fingerlings	335,000
Bream Adults	2,800
Crappie Fingerlings	61,000
Crappie Adults	1,600
Bass Fingerlings	2,000
Catfish Adults	200

Total Fish Planted402,600

RICHARDSON HATCHERY

Lexington County

Fish Planted:

Bream Fingerlings	250,000
Bream Adults	2,000
Redbreast	150,000
Warmouth	100,000

Total Fish Planted502,000

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FISH PLANTED IN LAKE LANIER
DURING THE YEAR 1942

Bream Fingerlings	212,000
Bream Adults	2,800
Catfish Fingerlings	8,000
Cashfish Adults	2,800
Bass Fingerlings	8,000
Bass Adults	860
Bass, 5 to 6 inches	800
Bass Fry	6,000
Warmouth Fry	1,200
Crappie Fingerlings	210,000
Crappie Adults	900
Rainbow Trout, 3 to 6 inches.....	16,000
Brown Trout, 3 to 6 inches	15,000
Total Fish Planted in Lake Lanier in 1942	486,360

J. E. BOST,
Director Fish Culture.

SPRINGS-STEVEN'S FISH HATCHERY

Heath Springs, South Carolina

Henry Bowers, in Charge

Fish Planted:

Bream Fingerlings	135,000
Bream Adults	4,500
Crappie Fingerlings	45,000
Crappie Adults	2,500
Warmouth Fingerlings	3,000

Total Fish Planted	190,000
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FISH RECEIVED FROM OTHER SOURCES
AND PLANTED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN S. C.
UNDER THE DIRECTION OF
J. E. BOST

Fish Planted:

Rainbow Trout, 3 to 6 inches	16,000
Brook Trout, 3 to 7 inches	20,000
Brown Trout, 3 to 6 inches	15,000
Bass Fry	6,000
Bass, 3 to 5 inches	2,200
Bream Advanced Fry	1,200
Warmouth Advanced Fry	1,200

Total Planted	61,600
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